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BRIMFIELD TOWNSHIP NEWSLETTER



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BRIMFEST Sept 17 – 20, 2015

It's that time of year, Brimfest time! Mark your calendars for Sept. 17 – 20! The annual parade to honor our veterans will be Sat. Sept 19 starting at 10:00 a.m.

Registration forms for the parade can be found by visiting the Brimfield Chamber of Commerce website, www.brimfieldchamber.com.

More information can also be found at <https://www.facebook.com/BrimfestParade> or by calling Nancy Rodd at 330-677-3688.



A Word From Chief Mosley



VOLUNTEERS IN POLICE SERVICE OPPORTUNITY

Are you interested in helping your local police department? If so, this can be a significant way to give back to your community. The Brimfield Police Department is seeking a volunteer(s) to help out with basic office/clerical types of tasks (answering telephone, copying of reports, filing, basic data entry). Citizen volunteers help supplement and support police officers and civilian personnel by allowing them to concentrate on their primary duties.

The time frame of need is 3pm-6pm Monday-Friday. A time commitment of 6 hours a week (2 shifts of 3 hours each on any 2 weekdays) would be ideal. However, there is flexibility here.

Some of the basic requirements are: At least 18 years of age, no felony convictions, no misdemeanor offenses of violence, a valid driver's license and a basic background check.

If you are interested in learning more about this opportunity, please contact Chief Roy Mosley at (330) 673-7716, or email to: rmosley@brimfieldpolice.com to receive a Brimfield PD Volunteers in Police Service (VIPs) application. Thank you!

Brimfield Fire Department's 2015 **Senior Luncheon**

Enjoy friends, family and our community at your local fire department! Feel free to bring a side to share. Hamburgers and hotdogs provided.

When? Wednesday September 9th. Lunch served at 11:30. Come early to check out the vendor tables and get your seats.

Where? Brimfield Fire Department. 1333 Tallmadge Rd. Kent, OH. 44240.

RSVP- To township secretary Jendy Miller at

(330)-678-9244





German Family Society Oktoberfest & Inaugural 5 K-eg Run

The German Family Society is having their 42nd annual Oktoberfest beginning September 11, 2015, 3871 Ranfield Road in Brimfield. The cost is \$5.00 per person, ages 12 and under are free. The hours are listed below:

Friday, September 11, 6 pm – Midnight

Saturday, September 12, 3 pm – 11 pm

Sunday, September 13, Noon – 7 pm

In conjunction with the annual Oktoberfest, a 5 K-eg Run, 1 Mile Fun Fun and 50 yd. Toddler Dash will be held on Saturday, September 12, 2015, beginning at 9 am.

Proceeds will help the German Family Society's Youth Group with an upcoming trip to Europe.

Along with race participants, they are also seeking sponsors and donations for the event.

Registration forms are available at www.germanfamilysociety.com. For information and questions, email: lederhosen5k@germanfamilysociety.com or phone: 330-678-8229.

Field Athletic Boosters 5K Race

The Field Athletic Boosters are also hosting a 5K Cross Country Race on Saturday, Sept. 12, 2015.

Place: Brimfield Plaza located on Tallmadge Road

Time: 7:00-7:45 AM – Race day Registration and packet pick up

8:00 AM 5k Race

8:45 AM 1 Mile Fun Run

Course: Flat and fast through local neighborhoods

Entry Fees: \$15.00 until September 9, 2015 – after and day of race \$20.00. (All pre-entries guaranteed T-Shirt (5k ONLY), T-shirts day of race based upon availability.

1-Mile Fun run FREE J

Refreshments Immediately following 5K for runners.

Please contact [Ed Conroy at 330-245-6286](tel:330-245-6286) for entry forms and more information.



The Brimfield Fire Department has teamed with the Portage-Summit Diaper Bank to serve as a drop-off point for diaper donations. Because SNAP and WIC do not assist with the purchase of diapers for needy families, Portage-Summit Diaper Bank was established to meet the diaper need in our community. According to the National Diaper Bank Network, 1 in 3 families struggle to buy diapers. The average cost can be up to \$100.00 per month per baby.

We will be collecting diaper donations in the months of September and October at the Brimfield Township Administration Office, 1333 Tallmadge Road in Brimfield, Monday – Friday, 8 am to 4 pm.

For more information, please visit Portage-Summit Diaper Bank's website at: <http://www.portage-summitdiaperbank.org/>.

BPD Holding Diaper
Drive to Benefit
Portage-Summit
Diaper Bank

K9 Nitro Retired from BPD



K9 Nitro was retired from the Brimfield Police Department in August due to budget constraints.

Nitro was the first K9 in Portage County to be trained in explosive detection. His partner, Officer Robert Putnam, accepted a plaque commemorating their service from Chief Roy Mosley at the August 18, 2015, trustee meeting.

K9 Nitro will continue to reside with Officer Putnam.

We thank you, Nitro and Officer Putnam...more than you know!

Brimfield Farmer's Market Wednesdays 4 pm – 7 pm

Don't forget...the Brimfield Farmer's Market is up and running every Wed from 4 to 7 p.m. All the loyal vendors are local, either from Brimfield or a neighboring town, and show up every Wednesday rain or shine. You'll find a small selection of local farmers and bakers with a large selection of product, including produce, baked goods and fudge, kettle corn, eggs and even handmade soaps and lotions that they have grown or made with lots of love. Local musicians also perform throughout the season. Come out to the Town Hall Park and enjoy the fruits (and vegetables) of their labor!



BOARD OF Trustees' MEETING

The Brimfield Township Trustee Meetings scheduled for August, 2015 are:

Wed.	Sept. 2	3:00 p.m.
Tues.	Sept. 15	6:00 p.m.
Wed.	Sept. 30	3:00 p.m.

All scheduled Township Trustee Meeting minutes can be found on our website:
www.brimfieldohio.gov.

BRIMFIELD FIRE DEPARTMENT THANKS RUBBERMAID FOR GENEROUS DONATION!



Chief Mullaly and the entire Brimfield Township Fire Department sends out a huge **THANK YOU** to Rubbermaid for the generous donation to the department August 13, 2015! Rubbermaid's continued support to the fire department is greatly appreciated and is always put to good use within the community.



Matt Naylor, Rory Coleman, Chief Mullaly, Masked Man Ian Campbell, Ron Goodspeed and C.J Rhoades

BFD TRAINING

Our fire department team is continuously training to be the best they can be. The above photo was taken after one of their fire training exercises in August. While regularly attending scheduled training exercises, our BFD firefighters/emts are constantly training at the fire department on their own: weightlifting, running, cardio workouts and on and on...all to better serve our community, themselves and each other. **WAY TO GO!!!!** Thank you for all you do!!



**The Brimfield Township Administration Office
Will Be Closed, Monday, Sept. 7, 2015
In Observance of Labor Day.**

We will reopen Tuesday, Sept. 8, 2015, at 8 am.

Have a wonderful holiday weekend!



Events Posted on Brimfield Township Website Calendar

Just a reminder that you can find scheduled events on our website, www.brimfieldohio.gov by clicking on Calendar on the left side of page. More information for the event can be found by clicking on the event on the calendar or the event listed on the right hand side of the calendar page.



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You can also find us on Facebook:

<https://www.facebook.com/pages/Brimfield-Township-Ohio/20539156947635>